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VIA EMAIL

The Honorable Kris W. Kobach Vice Chair Presidential Advisory Commission on Election Integrity ElectionIntegrityStaff@ovp.eop.gov

RE: Open Records Request Dated June 28, 2017

Dear Secretary Kobach,

This letter is in response to your request dated June 28, 2017 in which you seek the publicly-available voter roll data for Georgia. Under Georgia law (O.C.G.A. § 21-2-225), information on file regarding Georgia's list of electors is required to be available to the public upon request, except that the day and month of birth, social security number, driver's license number, and the locations at which electors applied to vote are confidential and not subject to disclosure.

Two years ago, our office reformed its process of handling public record requests to be more secure. In order to provide the publicly available information, our security protocol requires certain steps to be followed. Upon receipt, our office will prepare the publicly-available list of electors data file. The data file will undergo a thorough review process to ensure confidential information is not included before it is sent by secure means to the Commission. The data file will be encrypted and password protected.

Also, in order to process and send the requested publicly-available records, our office requires pre-payment of the \$250 statewide file fee. Please send check or money order payable to the "Georgia Secretary of State" to my attention at the address in the header of this letter.

Sincerely,

Chris Harvey

Director of Elections

Georgia Secretary of State's Office